County Highlights Home

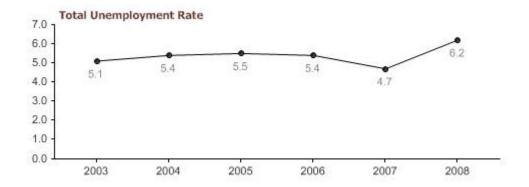
Union County, IN Highlights

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Overv	iew_	<u>Population</u>	<u>Education</u>	Commuting	Labor Force	<u>Industry</u>	<u>Income</u>	<u>Firm Size</u>

Labor Force

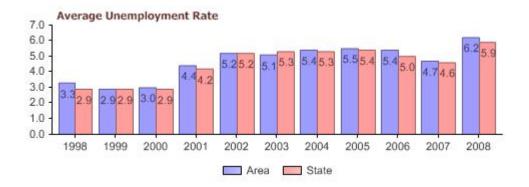
An area's labor force provides insight on the availability factor and is residence-based - that is, the people are working or seeking work and reside in the particular county or region.

Annual Labor Force Estimates in 2008								
	Number	Pct. Chg. from 2000						
Labor Force	3,600	-5.6%						
Employed	3,376	-8.7%						
Unemployed	224	96.5%						
Rate	6.2	106.7%						



Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics

Labor Force Estimates									
	Labor Force	Emp.	Unemp.	Area Rate	State Rate				
1998	3,977	3,847	130	3.3	2.9				
1999	3,963	3,847	116	2.9	2.9				
2000	3,813	3,699	114	3.0	2.9				
2001	3,777	3,611	166	4.4	4.2				
2002	3,710	3,516	194	5.2	5.2				
2003	3,754	3,562	192	5.1	5.3				
2004	3,759	3,555	204	5.4	5.3				
2005	3,867	3,655	212	5.5	5.4				
2006	3,902	3,690	212	5.4	5.0				
2007	3,634	3,464	170	4.7	4.6				
2008	3,600	3,376	224	6.2	5.9				



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